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| FORM PTO-1390<br>MODIFIED   | U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE | ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER<br><b>4662-164</b>                                       |
| TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES<br>DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)<br>CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371  |   | U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 C.F.R. 1.5)<br><b>10/572371</b><br>Unknown |
| INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.<br><b>PCT/NL2004/000645</b>   | INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE<br><b>17 September 2004</b>   | PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED<br><b>22 September 2003</b>                                 |
| TITLE OF INVENTION<br><b>PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF A POLYMER COMPOSITION</b>   |   |   |
| APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US<br><b>LOONTJENS</b>   |   |   |
| <p>Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> The U.S. has been elected (Article 31).</li> <li>A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2).             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WO 2005/028541 is attached hereto (10 pages specification, claims &amp; abstract (7 claims), 1 sheets drawings).</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).</li> </ol> </li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (        pages specification, claims &amp; abstract (        claims),        sheets drawings,        page Certificate of Translation).</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> </ol> </li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has <b>NOT</b> expired.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.</li> </ol> </li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3).</li> <li> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4).</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Declaration was submitted to the International Bureau during International Phase (see copies of Declaration (        page Form PCT/RO/101 and Form PCT/IB/371 and first page of printed publication acknowledging receipt thereof attached).</li> </ol> </li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5).</li> </ol> <p><b>Items 11 To 20 below concern document(s) or information included:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 3.28 and 3.31 is included.</li> <li> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A <b>FIRST</b> preliminary amendment.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> preliminary amendment.</li> </ol> </li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> An Application Data Sheet under 37 C.F.R. § 1.76.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821-1.825.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Other items or information.</li> </ol> |   |   |

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| U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 C.F.R. 1.51)<br><b>10/572371</b>  |                                     | INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.<br><b>PCT/NL2004/000645</b>                     |               | ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER<br><b>4662-164</b> |                 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted:  |                                     |   |               |   |                 |
| <b>BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 C.F.R. 1.492(a)(1)-(5):</b>  |                                     |   |               |   |                 |
| 21. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  | Basic national fee .....            | \$300.00 (1631)/\$150.00 (2631)   | \$            | 300.00                                      |                 |
| 22. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  | Examination Fee.....<br>(1643/2643) | \$200.00 (1633)/\$100.00 (2633)   | \$            | 200.00                                      |                 |
| 23. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  | Search Fee .....                    | \$0 (1640/2640)   |               |   |                 |
|  |                                     | \$100 (1641)/\$50 (2641)  |               |   |                 |
|  |                                     | \$400 (1642)/\$200 (2642)   |               |   |                 |
|  |                                     | \$500.00 (1632)/\$250.00 (2632)   | \$            | 400.00                                      |                 |
| <b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS</b>   |                                     |   | \$            | 900.00                                      |                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.   |                                     |   |               |   |                 |
| Total Sheets   | Extra Sheets                        | Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof (round up to a whole number) | RATE          |   |                 |
| 0 -100   | 0 /50 =                             | 0.00  | \$0.00 (1681) |   |                 |
|  |                                     |   | \$0.00 (2681) |   |                 |
| Surcharge of \$130.00 (1617)/\$65.00 (2617) for furnishing the oath or declaration later than <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 C.F.R. 1.492(e)).  |                                     |   |               | \$  | 130.00          |
| CLAIMS   | NUMBER FILED                        | # EXTRA   | RATE          |   |                 |
| Total Claims   | 7                                   | minus 20 =  | 0 X           | \$50.00 (1615)/                             | \$25.00 (2615)  |
| Independent Claims   | 1                                   | minus 3 =   | 0 X           | \$200.00 (1614)                             | \$100.00 (2614) |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS(S) (if applicable)   |                                     |   |               | \$360.00 (1616)/\$180.00 (2616)             | \$ 0.00         |
| Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s): One Month Extension \$120.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251); Two Month Extensions \$450.00 (1252)/\$225.00 (2252); Three Month Extensions \$1020.00 (1253)/\$510.00 (2253); Four Month Extensions \$1590.00 (1254)/\$795.00 (2254) |                                     |   |               | \$  | 0.00            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.  |                                     |   |               |   |                 |
| Processing fee of \$130.00 (1618), for furnishing the English Translation later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 C.F.R. 1.492(f)).  |                                     |   |               |   | 0.00            |
| <b>TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =</b>  |                                     |   |               | \$  | <b>1030.00</b>  |
| Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 C.F.R. 1.21(h). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 C.F.R. 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 (8021) per property   |                                     |   |               | \$  | 0.00            |
| Fee for Petition to Revive Unintentionally Abandoned Application; \$1500.00 (1453) / \$750.00 (2453)   |                                     |   |               | \$  | 0.00            |
| <b>TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =</b>   |                                     |   |               | \$  | <b>1030.00</b>  |
|  |                                     |   |               | Amount to be refunded:                      | \$              |
|  |                                     |   |               | Amount to be Charged:                       | \$              |

- a. ☐ A check in the amount of \$1030.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.
- b. ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 14-1140 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the above fees.
- A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.

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- c. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.
- d. ☒ **CREDIT CARD PAYMENT FORM ATTACHED.**
- e. ☒ The entire content of International Application No. **PCT/NL2004/000645** and any U.S. and foreign application(s) corresponding thereto, and EP 03078006.8, referred to in this application is/are hereby incorporated by reference in this application.
- NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 C.F.R. 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 C.F.R. 1.137(a) or (b) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.**

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